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In re the Application of:

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 4, 2003, Applicants respectfully request that the rejection of record be reconsidered in view of the following remarks.

The current version of the claims is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

